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### THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION.

A National Convention of the Republican party will meet at Chicago, Wednesday, the 28th day of June next, for the nomination of candidates to be supported for President and Vice President at the next election.

Republicans, and all who will co-operate with them in supporting the nominee of the party, are invited to choose two delegates from each Congressional District, four at large from each State, two from each Territory, and two from the District of Columbia, to represent them in the Convention.

J. D. CAMERON, Chairman.  
THOMAS B. KEOGH, Secretary.

### REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

ROOMS OF THE  
REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE,  
MILWAUKEE, February 14, 1880.  
A State Convention of delegates representing the Republican party of Wisconsin, and of all who will co-operate with them in supporting the Nominees of the party, is hereby called to meet at the Capitol in Madison, at twelve o'clock M., on Wednesday, May 6th, 1880, for the purpose of placing in nomination an electoral ticket of ten electors to be supported by the party at the next Presidential election, and also to select twenty delegates, (two from each Congressional District and four from the State at large), to represent the Republican party of Wisconsin in the National Republican Convention, which is called to meet at Chicago on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1880, and to transact such other business as may be deemed necessary.

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State Central Committee.

Do the Madison papers feel proud of their influence regarding Biennial Sessions?

The milk-and-water argument used by the Madison influence in favor of annual sessions, did not accomplish much.

The chances are still growing that Tilden's barrel will be nominated. The party would rather have the barrel than the owner.

A joint resolution has been introduced in the Assembly providing for a final adjournment of the Legislature at eleven o'clock on Saturday, the 13th of March.

The fortunes of "Pinafore" and the "Pirates of Penzance," are said to divide \$5,000 a week as their share of the receipts at the Fifth Avenue theater, New York.

The only thing that bothers Tilden is the doubt about being able to buy two-thirds of the Convention, which he will have to do under the present rule. He could buy half and call it an easy victory.

It has been demonstrated that the one-sided report of the Dane county Senators on the Biennial Session question, did more harm to the cause they undertook to support, than it did good. They weakened their own side by showing that they did not intend to meet the question candidly and honestly.

Senator Richardson, Chairman of the Committee on Charitable and Penal Institutions, has reported against the passage of the bill which provides for the payment of debts contracted by the State Insane Hospital, without authority of law. In other words, the report opposes the scheme of the Trustees of that institution to bulldoze the Legislature, and ride rough-shod over the law.

We publish in another column of this issue of the Gazette, a dispatch from Pittsburgh, relative to the mining swindles, in Colorado, to which we ask special attention. There are at present numerous agencies for the sale of these mining stocks, the latter being nothing less than a fraud. We learn that these mines have representatives or agents traveling through Wisconsin, who are trying to dispose of interests in the Colorado mining stocks. Persons who do not bite, are the ones who do not get gold. We trust our readers will give the article a careful reading. It may prove a profitable investment.

The speech which Congressman Williams made in the House of Representatives on the 24th ultimo, urged the adoption of a bill reported by the Committee on Judiciary, regulating the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts. The bill obliges all suits involving a less amount than \$2,000 to be tried by the State Courts, and in the county where the defendant lives, \$500 being the limit now fixed by law. It is claimed that under the present regulation, the Federal Courts are swamped with business, largely of the patent right description, and many fraudulent claims of this character are compromised, by being forced into Federal Courts, the defendants preferring to be blackmailed rather than incur the enormous costs incident to these Courts.

The leading manufacturers of Rockford are engaged in circulating a petition to be presented to Congress asking that Rock river may be included in the bill for a preliminary survey of the tributaries of the Mississippi river. It will be remembered from the articles which have already appeared in the Gazette, that this survey is preliminary to the building of a dam at Horicon, so that the reservoir shall be provided as a feeder to Rock river. This scheme contemplates a steady and permanent supply of water to the manufacturing interests along two hundred miles of the river, which is now improved by several dams. If the promoters of the design succeed, it will provide some of the finest water-power privileges in the world, be-

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## BIENNIAL SESSIONS.

The Biennial Session Resolution Adopted by the Senate,

By a Vote Of Twenty-Four Ayes to Nine Nays.

Senator Burrows Comes to the Rescue of the Madison Hash Houses,

But His Earnest Appeal Has No Effect on the Senate.

A Three-Days' Speech by General Logan, in the United States Senate,

On the Proposition to Restore Fitz John Porter to the Army.

The Crowd Larger and More Interested on the Third Day Than on the First.

Logan Goes Over the Whole Case Point after Point.

The Effect of This Lengthy Speech on the Senators and Others.

Chief Douglas Makes an Unsuccessful Attempt to Escape.

The Assassins of General Mellick Quickly Disposed of at St. Petersburg.

## BIENNIAL SESSIONS.

A Deep Interest in the Question—The Appeal of Senator Burrows—He Hammers Away at the Gazette and the Sentinel, But to no Purpose—The Final Result.

MADISON, March 4.—To-night the Chamber was crowded to listen to the argument of Senator Burrows on biennial sessions. The Senator said: Official data showed that annual sessions had not, on an average, exceeded sixty-seven days; calling seventy, and estimating that members paid \$30 each per week for board and accommodations, that clerks and attaches paid \$10, and that the gross sum would not exceed \$35,000. If this sum was a naked donation, without an equivalent return, and the cost of public printing and all that lobby expended were added, the whole combined would be less than \$4 per capita to the population of the city. And yet such newspapers as the Janesville Gazette and Milwaukee Sentinel were continuously asserting that Madison lived off of and was supported by the profits of the boarding Legislature. Here was a city of 12,000 population represented as supported by a net profit which, if any such thing existed, could not possibly exceed \$3,000 or \$10,000. Deduct from this the private hospitality of citizens, often donated to just such men as these editors, and how much would remain to support the community at large?

Which is most probable that citizens live on the trade and patronage of the country about them, or the possible yearly annual profit of half a dozen hotels and boarding houses?

The advantages of a capital to the city were not of a pecuniary kind; as to that feature, almost any other public institution would be preferable. The real and only substantial benefits were of social, intellectual, and educational kind. That a society composed of men and women of enlarged ideas and wider experience, was the chief product of a State capital which tended to draw about it persons of culture, travel, and superior education, whose hospitality aggregated many times the board bills of members.

If the biennial plan were adopted, courts, conventions, and everything else must and would go on just as usual; that the halls would not be closed against the people of the State at large merely because the Legislature did not meet. The biennial sessions would remove the affairs of the people from their direct and immediate control. The Legislature is the only body directly connecting the people with their government. To deprive them of this privilege is to open a door for the grossest abuses.

If any reason exists for biennial sessions of the Legislature the reason is strengthened for longer terms, and the longer the term the stronger and more conclusive the logic of the reasoning. A system good for this State must be equally good for its municipal corporations, and no more reason exists for dispensing with annual State supervision than annual county, city, or town supervision.

Who has direct interests in long periods without critical inspection and account? He showed that the farmers, mechanics, and industrial classes of the State were, and must be, the ones to suffer from such a change; that the interest favorable to the scene was hostile to the labor classes, however cunningly it concealed its purposes; that long biennial sessions would practically exclude every farmer from a seat in the Legislature.

Senator Burrows then appealed to his own associates to be true in their own convictions, and discharge their duty without evasion.

The bill was concurred in by a vote of 24 to 9.

## QUICK JUSTICE.

The Assassins of General Mellick Quickly Disposed of.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 4.—The young man who attempted to assassinate General Mellick on Wednesday, was tried by court-martial, yesterday, and sentenced to be hanged at daylight this morning. His demeanor when in the presence of the judges was very defiant, the severest cross-examination failing to shake his determination to maintain silence to his accomplices. A report that he would be put to the torture gained currency during the day, but the authorities denied it with vehemence. On

leaving the court room the assassin declared that sooner or later the tyrants who now oppress Russia would fall by the hands of members of the organization to which he belonged. As it gave emphasis to this prediction, an anonymous note was sent to Mellick last evening, summoning him in the name of the revolutionary committee to abandon his post within a week.

## FITZ-JOHN PORTER.

Senator Logan's Speech in the United States Senate—Occupying Three Days' Time.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—General Logan occupied the floor again all day, and will conclude to-morrow. There never was a speech of such length that sustained attention as Logan's has. He has spoken three days now, and the crowd was larger to-day than either yesterday or Tuesday, and it seemed to be composed to a great extent of the same people who heard the beginning, and are bound to hear it out. Scarcely in the Senate does a single speech extend over two days. Only once before within five years has a Senator occupied more than three days, but Logan is taking the subject point by point, and the evidence of the original court-martial and the later rehearing, and discussing it as a lawyer sums up an important case before a jury. The speech is exhausting the entire subject, and when Logan gets through nothing will remain to be said. The earnestness of the speaker, his clear interpretation of the law, his outspoken denunciation of the bill, the case with which he has overthrown all who have sought to oppose him, and the presence of a crowd of attentive listeners have combined to make this debate very impressive and the scene upon the floor more dramatic than any that has occurred since the debates over the electoral commission bill, three years ago. There were very few interruptions to-day. The Democratic leaders held a meeting this morning and decided, as one of them said, to let Logan talk himself out, and make his own speech. "When he gets through," remarked the Senator, "we will reply." Experience has taught them that Logan is too well prepared on this case to be interrupted, and it will be noticed that no Senator has interrupted him a second time. Ben Hill tried it first. General Randolph Jones, of Florida, and Kernan in order, and each one has retired in a state of demoralization after a brief encounter. The demonstration to-day showed that Logan has convinced his audience, whatever effect his speech may have had upon the Senators who were intending to vote for Porter's restoration. On the first day there was no cheering whatever. On the second day there was some, but to-day the galleries broke out several times in demonstrations of applause, which caused the vice President to give them a lecture and threaten to clear them out if the demonstration repeated. It was quite significant that every time Grant was alluded to there was a cheer.

McNEIL THE MURDERER.  
Why He Was Not Confirmed by the Senate—Some Horrible Reminiscences.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The Senate rejected the nomination of John McNeil, of St. Louis, as United States Marshal for the Eastern district of Missouri. General McNeil's rejection was effected by a very decisive vote, 32 yeas against 7 yeas. The action was based upon an adverse report from the Judiciary Committee, accompanied with a statement to the effect that General McNeil, in the year 1862, while in command of the United States troops at Palmyra, Mo., ordered the execution of eleven citizens of that neighborhood who had been arrested but not yet tried on the general charge of "bushwhacking," and had executed ten of them, as a measure of retaliation for the alleged abduction and supposed murder of a Union man in the same county. McNeil's orders required the execution of these prisoners if the missing Unionist was not returned within a certain time, and if nothing was heard from the latter the orders were carried into effect by McNeil's provost marshal upon the designated day. It was also stated by a member of the Judiciary Committee, in executive session, that the life of the eleven prisoners was spared by the provost marshal upon an enforced condition, that the honor of the former's wife should be the price of her husband's release, and that General McNeil continued this same provost marshal in service under him after the disgraceful facts had become known.

## COULDN'T ESCAPE.

LEAVENWORTH, March 4.—Chief Douglas escaped from the guard-house at Fort Leavenworth this afternoon by jumping from the second story of the building. He was pursued by the guard and fired at several times. After running for a mile he was captured by Sgt. Hubbard, of the provost guard, after a hard fight, and placed in close confinement.

## A DOUBLE BABY.

A Veritable Human Curiosity at Bombay, India.

From the Evening Times.  
There is at present in Bombay a living object that may rightly be classed among the most curious phenomena of nature. At a home in Mazagon may be seen a pair of female twins, separate in every respect but from the breast bone to lower part of the stomach, which is closely joined. The upper breast of each infant is joined into the other, the outer skin covering both. The twins are joined front to front; shoulders, arms, lower limbs and feet perfectly formed, and development healthy, while the hands are well shaped and the faces really pretty, with beautiful eyes, large and bright. The twins are six months old, are in perfect health, and measure twenty inches in height, one appearing, but in a very trifling degree, larger than the other.

Both have vigorous appetites, and take kindly to the feeding-bottle; are extremely lively, and appear good tempered. The pulses beat in unison; they generally fall asleep or keep awake together, and their actions are usually simultaneous, though sometimes one would cry while the other was quietly drawing at the mouth-piece of its bottle. The strangely-joined pair was born at Dapooli, in the Ratanagerry Collectorate, the father being a Mohammedan, and a seafaring man, while the mother had besides a pretty little daughter about 10. The infants feed separately, each having a bottle to itself, and draw vigorously at their nourishment. The doctor deems it would be impossible to separate them without extinguishing life. The twins have, up to the time, never grown ill, and to every appearance are likely to grow up.

## THE LEGISLATURE.

The Assembly Passes a Bill to Prevent the Adulteration of Food.

And the Senate One to Preserve Game in Southern Wisconsin.

Senator Richardson Makes a Long Report on the Management of the Insane Hospital.

A Resolution for Final Adjournment on March 13th Being Considered.

Other Important Measures Acted Upon To-day.

## THE LEGISLATURE.

Special to the Gazette.

MADISON, March 4.—In the Assembly this morning Assembly bills were passed to prevent the adulteration of food and medicine and provide for the analysis of the same.

Preventing lumber mill owners on the Wisconsin river and tributaries from throwing refuse in the river. Assembly bills were killed providing that taxes on real estate shall be a legal offset against mortgages thereon.

Providing for more equitable assessment of property for taxation.

Simpson offered a joint resolution which lies over till to-morrow, cutting off business after nine a. m. of Thursday, March eleventh, and providing for a final adjournment at eleven a. m. Saturday, March thirteenth.

## SENATE.

In the Senate, Richardson, Chairman of the Committee on Charitable and Penal Institutions, made a long report complaining of management of the State Insane Hospital in contracting debts and making improvements in that institution, without sanction of the Legislature. The report recommends indefinite postponement of the deficiency appropriation therefor, of thirty-two thousand dollars.

The Assembly joint resolution authorizing an investigation into the various State departments, with a view of cutting down expenses, was refused a concurrence.

Charles' bill prohibiting for two years the killing of partridge, pheasants, prairie chickens, south of the north boundary line of Vernon, Sauk, Columbia, Dodge, Washington and Ozaukee counties, was passed. Sessions will be held in both houses at 4 p. m.

To-night Hon. Horace Rublee delivers a lecture on the history and politics of Switzerland, before the Senate.

## MINING SWINDLES.

What a Pittsburgh Man Thinks He Has Discovered Relative to Mining Operations Between Colorado and Chicago.

Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.  
PITTSBURGH, March 2.—Samuel Crawford, of Allegheny, has just returned from Colorado to assist in the prosecution of L. G. Calkins, President of the Buntion Gold & Silver Mining Company, who is at present in custody here on charges of embezzlement. During his visit, Mr. Crawford devoted a great share of his time to the investigation of the mining swindlers, and his experience makes a very interesting story. He has arrived at the conclusion that Chicago is the headquarters of some of the shrewdest mining operators in existence. He instances a Michigan youth who was fleeced out of \$3,000 by some one claiming to belong to the Young Men's Christian Association. Sales of bogus stock, Mr. Crawford says, are resorted to whenever swindling schemes fail. The sharper learns that in a given neighborhood there are a number of workmen with sums of money in the bank, and means are taken to capture the most influential of these. To him it is proposed that in consideration of say \$1,000 subscription to the stock, he shall be made Resident Superintendent of the mine at a handsome salary, and so be in a position to protect the interests of himself and friends. Generally the bait takes, the stock is bought, and away goes the Mine-Superintendent. When the mine is really a good one, as frequently happens, the new Superintendent, with his confidence strengthened in the Mining Company, usually sends glowing letters to his friends, and the stock goes "boom" and the sharper reaps a golden harvest. Ordinarily this condition of things gives the swindler ample time to work his new field, and when the Superintendent is starved out and returns with blood in his eye he finds the swindler entrenched behind the solid bulwark of his ill-gotten gains, and he is threatened with arrest should he dare to impugn the truth and good character of the man who absorbed his money. Mr. Crawford says he has abundant evidence to prove that Calkins is a swindler of rare energy and ability, and hints that developments at the trial on Thursday will be of such a nature as to make Pittsburghers give Colorado mining enterprises a wide berth henceforth.

## ALONE AMID THE RYE.

[This poem from Sunday Afternoon for August has an added interest as being by Mrs. D. H. Goodale, mother of Elaine and Dora Goodale, the child poets.]  
Amid the golden stocks of rye,  
In dreamy peace content I lie,  
Steeped in the life warm summer sun,  
The equal heir of earth and sky.

The languid breeze that stirs the grain,  
(Now gold, now brown, now gold again),  
Whispers the current of my blood,  
And stirs quick fancies in my brain.

Sweet summer-scented wind caress!  
This tender touch, this gentle stress  
More deeply moves than hands that cling  
And passion-fueled lips that press.

My soul doubt-strung with questionings torn,  
In shadowy conflicts wounded, worn,  
Leaves dreary quest, and longs to share  
The golden sense of life new-born.

The seed within the furrow sown,  
From blade to ear, from ear to corn,  
One life evolves, distinct and clear,  
Through perfect sequence perfect grown.

But human hearts that burn, aspire,  
The fragile miss of strong desire—  
All paths we try, yet wander wild,  
For ever climbing, never higher!

O Heart! be still at Nature's feet,  
O put on wings that caresses beat,  
Sift me no more with tender pain,  
But leave me to her influence sweet.

Touched with thy life celestial Sun,  
My tingling pulses swiftlier run,  
I break and glow, with ardor filled,  
And thank thee once more the contest won!

## OUR DEAD.

Nothing is our own; we hold our pleasures  
Just a little while, ere they are fled:  
One by one life robs us of our treasures;  
Nothing is our own except our dead.

They are ours, and hold in faithful keeping,  
Safe forever, all they "look away,"  
Cruel life can never stir that sleeping,  
Cruel time can never seize that prey.

Justice pales; truth fades; stars fall from heaven;  
Human are the great, whom we revere;  
No trace of crown or honor can be given,  
Till the wreath lies on a funeral bier.

How the children leave us, and no traces  
Linger of that smiling angel band;  
Gone, forever gone; and in their places  
Weary men and anxious women stand.

Yet we have some little ones, still ours;  
They have kept the baby smile, we know,  
Which we kissed one day, and hid away with flowers,  
On their dead white faces long ago.

When our joy is lost—and life will take it—  
Then no memory of the past remains,  
Save with some strange, cruel sting, that make it  
Bitterness beyond all present pains.

Death, more tender-hearted, leaves to sorrow  
Still the faint shadow-fog of regret;  
We shall find, in some far, bright to-morrow,  
Joy that he has taken ere we set.

Is love ours, and do we dream we know it,  
Loved in with all our heart-strings, all our own?  
Any cold and cruel dawn may show it  
Shattered, desecrated, overthrown.

Only the dead hearts forsake us never,  
Love, that to death's royal care has fled,  
Is thus consecrated, and never  
And no change can rob us of our dead.

So, when fate comes to beguile our city,  
Dim our gold, or make our flowers fall,  
Death, the angel, comes in love and pity,  
And, to save our treasures, claims them all.

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## DRAWING JURORS.

OFFICE OF CLERK CIRCUIT COURT, }  
 ROCK CO. Wis. Feb. 23, 1889.  
 Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the  
 27th day of March, 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my  
 office in the city of Janesville, will be drawn the  
 Petit Jurors for the April Term of said  
 court in the manner provided by law.



# THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 1886.  
CITY AND COUNTY.

## BRIEFLETS.

—Temple of Honor night.  
—March is pulling everybody.  
—The brain puzzler "14-13-15" has struck the town. Enlarge the asylums.  
—Charles Atwood has been taken suddenly ill with inflammatory rheumatism.  
—Are you going to see the Doctor of Alcantara next Monday and Tuesday evenings?  
—Rev John Faville preaches at Court Street church to-night on "Christ's Reply to the World."  
—The new directory men claim that they can show Janesville to have over 13,000 inhabitants.  
—W. D. Hoard, of the Jefferson County Union, spent the day in the city, and made the Gazette a pleasant call.  
—J. S. Bliss, who has been confined to his home for some time, is gaining in health, but is not able to stir out yet.  
—Bennett has begun making ready for the coming building changes, and has torn down the awning of his old building.  
—Crack brain puzzles—the biggest thing of the age. Chicago will over this mathematical curiosity. For sale by McKee & Bro.  
—Mrs. Zeiminger has a fine oyster trade, that is, the trade is fine and the oysters too. If you want fresh, reliable oysters, there's the place to find them.  
—The Gazette job room made during the month of February 246,287 impressions, an increase of 132,512 over 1879. This was on job work only. Now who wants to say business is not on the boom?  
—The Doctor of Alcantara ought to be greeted with a full house next Monday and Tuesday evenings. The tickets are only five and twenty cents, with no charge for reserved seats. King has the diagram of Lapping's hall, and the tickets.  
—At the meeting of the Round Table to-morrow evening "Lyrical Poetry" will be the theme of talk and thought. J. P. Haire, will lead, and papers are expected from Miss Macleod, Miss Chittenden, Miss Carrie Zeiminger, Miss May Dimock, Rev T. W. MacLean, and Mr. S. B. Smith.  
—We were pleased to receive a call this morning from our old friend Edward Pratt, of dry goods days. Mr. Pratt was at one time a member of the dry goods house of Sherwin, Norwell & Pratt, of Milwaukee, and now represents some of the leading manufacturers of the country.  
—The Janesville Guards at their meeting last night elected as officers of the corporation the same officers as those now holding office under the civil organization. It was also decided to procure a medal to be given to the member showing greatest proficiency in the manual of arms, within some specified time. It was further decided to arrange for a masquerade party sometime after Lent.  
—Mr. Salsman, of the Grand hotel, has gone onto the road, as travelling salesman for Roundy & Co., the Milwaukee grocery house, for which he has travelled so long. The hotel will continue, however, to be run in first class shape, Mrs. Salsman being a host in herself, and the interests of the hotel being further looked after by Mr. Dustin, a brother-in-law of Prof. Hersee. The hotel will maintain its reputation as one of the best in the State.  
—As before stated, the Rev. Mr. Chapell was suddenly called East by the final illness of an uncle, very dear to him. He left here upon the 2:30 train, Tuesday last week, and arrived in New London, Conn., at 4:30 p. m. Thursday. His uncle was dead, but he was in time to attend the funeral, which occurred the next day. After the funeral services, Mr. Chapell became very ill and his physician ordered perfect quiet of both mind and body. Of course this sickness will hinder his immediate return. At last accounts he was improving, however, and we hope he will not be long detained.  
—Otto Holm may not know how to teach school, but he has a heap of the necessary common sense; and when he found that the boys belonging to a private school in the same building as his shop, had stolen his key, and plugged up the hole with paper-wads, he appointed himself a committee of one to investigate. He could not find out which of the boys were the guilty ones, and so one morning he planted himself at the head of the stairs, and as one after another climbed up, he greeted them at the landing in a cordial way: He would grab them, spank them, tumble them into the school room, and then wait for the next victim. By the time he had thus shaken up about half the boys who go there to school, there was a "squel," a begging for a treaty of peace, the key was returned to him, and quiet was restored. They have let him and his alone since then.

## THE WEATHER.

REPORTED BY FRANKLIN & EVERTON, DRUGGISTS.

The thermometer at 6 o'clock last evening stood at 47 degrees above zero; at 1 o'clock a. m. to-day at 33 degrees above; at 7 o'clock a. m. at 31 degrees above, and at 1 o'clock p. m. at 37 degrees above. Cloudy and breezy.

The indications to-day are, for the upper lake region, rising barometer, colder north to west winds, occasional rain or snow, followed by clearing weather.

THROW AWAY CRUTCHES. Use ST. JACOB'S OIL.

## THEY MEAN BUSINESS.

The card of Hanchett & Sheldon, successors to G. M. Hanchett, appears in another column. The new firm start in with a "zip," which means business evidently. They have a large and varied stock including everything needed in the line of hardware, iron and wagon stock, stoves, etc., and propose to keep a full supply on hand at all times. Those wanting anything in their line should remember them and their location, No. 25 Main street.

## ANOTHER RAILROAD.

Prospects of a New Road from Janesville to Afton, and a Promised Revival of the Evansville Project.

Janesville is busy building railroads on paper, and there seems to be a good prospect for some of these plans now being thought of, to be carried into successful execution. As has already been stated in the Gazette, the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company have made a survey of a line from here to Beloit, and it is expected that soon there will be made public the terms on which such a road can be obtained, as it seems to be contingent on the answer to the question as to whether any aid will be given the company in such a project.

Now comes another plan by the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Company. Its details are not made public as yet, but we are able to state in the main what seems to be the plan under consideration. The company has now out a party of surveyors, who are running a line from Afton to this city. They arrived here last evening, and this morning started back again.

As soon as this survey is completed, and the estimates made as to the cost of building, it is expected that the Northwestern road will make known on what terms they will build it, as they will doubtless ask some aid. This line will of course connect these two branches, and will give two routes to Madison, and will open up other advantages, making Beloit also easy of access. It is not improbable that if arrangements are made for building this road, arrangements will also be made by which a daily accommodation train will run from Janesville to Chicago via Beloit and Harvard, leaving here in the morning and returning in the evening.

For some time Beloit has not had the accommodation necessary to allow its citizens to go to Chicago in the morning and return at evening, and leave them any time in the city, and if this new route is made, a train will be put on which will furnish this accommodation. It will take but a little longer for running time than by the present route, and by reaching this city a half hour later and cutting the stop in Chicago a half hour shorter, this daily train can be made a success, and take Beloit in. The advantages of having both branches of the Northwestern thus connected, are many, but the further project which seems to be in contemplation will prove of greater advantage to this city particularly.

It is not unlikely that in connection with this road to Afton, there will also be a road built from Janesville to Evansville. In years past this has been much talked of, whenever the road to Afton has been the subject of thought, and it seems likely now, with the revival of the Afton project, that the Evansville connection will form a part of the plan. In this case the Northwestern trains could run from Madison through Evansville to Janesville, and thence on, which would bring many advantages to this city, and would increase the accommodation of the road itself.

The fact that the surveyors are on the ground is an indication that there is more than mere talk to the plans mentioned, and that there will be a ripening into further and more definite action. As to what the company will do, or how they will do it, cannot of course be said as they do not know themselves until they estimate the cost, but it is certain that they are considering plans for having a road from Evansville to Janesville, and from Janesville to Afton.

It seems as if out of all these late railroad moves some of them would come to completion and success. By a glance at the map one can easily see some of the advantages which the city can gain by having further railroad facilities, but as to the cost of gaining these advantages, nothing can be said until the estimates now being made in each of the projects are completed.

**MURDERED FOR MONEY.**  
A Young Man from Newark is Fatally Slugged in Leadville.  
The news comes from the far West of the foul murder of Milton M. Shoemaker, son of A. Shoemaker, one of the oldest residents of the town of Newark. Young Shoemaker has since last May been in Leadville, and on Saturday evening, February 14, in company with his brother and a friend, went out together, and separated about half past nine o'clock. An hour later young Shoemaker entered a lodging house, and a bore the marks of having been assaulted. The blood was oozing from a cut in the mouth, and his back was covered with snow, as if he had been lying down. He said he had been attacked and robbed of \$30, and seemed in great pain, and his mind somewhat bewildered. He was put to bed, and soon after became unconscious. His friends missing him from his boarding place, were unable to find him until the following Monday, when they found him in this lodging house. He did not recover his consciousness, and on the 21st died, without giving further information as to who had assaulted him. The physician in attendance says that death was caused by a blow on the head from a sand-bag or some similar weapon, which had ruptured a blood vessel without breaking the skin.

**WINNING HER WAY.**  
The Daily Herald gives a flattering notice of Miss Minerva Guernsey's readings in Dubuque. She was greeted by a very large audience, and was given many hearty rounds of applause. Among many other bits of praise given Miss Guernsey by the Herald is the following:  
The scene from Faust by Miss Guernsey was the gem of her impersonations. She rendered the difficult character of Marguerite in the church scene in a manner that fairly captivated her auditors. Her conception of the character was faultless, and her rendition exhibited her artistic ability. Miss Guernsey has a brilliant future before her. She is young, handsome, talented, ambitious, and we predict that at no distant day she will take her place by the side of the best readers and elocutionists in the country.

**An Elegant Preparation**  
designed to meet the public want for a harmless hair dressing and restorative, is found in Parker's Hair Balsam. It acts like magic, commencing at the very roots, removes dandruff and all humors from the scalp, and never fails to restore gray or faded hair to its original youthful color and beauty. Falling hair is immediately checked by its use, and it produces a growth of beautiful young hair, soft, glossy and luxuriant, that surprises everyone. These properties added to its exquisite perfume and purity of composition, render it the growing favorite at the toilet table everywhere. Sold in large bottles at only 50 cents and \$1.00 by all first-class druggists.

**CITY NOTICES.**  
APHONIA CURED.—FELLOWS' COMPOUND SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES.—Aphonia or Loss of Voice, is remedied in a short time, no matter whether the cause be from inflammation of the lining membrane, from cold, or from nervous derangement.

**LOCAL MATTERS.**  
Figs.—All Figs are now offered free by Dr. KLINE'S Figs and Great Nerve Restorer. No figs after first day's use. 381 ARCH ST., Philadelphia, Pa. feb16daw3m

**Wanted.**  
Sherman & Co., Marshall, Mich., want an agent in this county at once, at a salary of \$100 per month and expenses paid. For full particulars, address as above. nov14daw3m

**Ladies' and Gents' Stationery.**  
For a good article of Writing Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Ink, etc., at reasonable prices, call at Sutcliffe's Bookstore. feb16daw3m

**The Famous Bethesda.**  
R. Dunbar's Celebrated Bethesda Water of Waukegan, Wis.—The marvel of the age and acknowledged by the medical world as a specific for diabetes, Bright's disease, and all kindred diseases. For sale by E. B. Heimstreet, Janesville, Wis. oct17daw3m

**An Offensive Breath.**  
Is abominable, and there is no excuse for it. SOZODONT will always eradicate this evil from whatever cause. But there are thousands who utterly neglect any care of their teeth, and suffer their breath to become tainted. They put their gossip into the faces of their listeners regardless of the annoyance they inflict.

Keep a bottle of SPALDING'S GUM, and apply to such gossip's lips. mar dew1w

**General Debility.**  
This convenient form includes numerous ill-defined and supposed nervous diseases, accompanied by general lassitude and exhaustion, without any ascertainable external or internal cause. THE PERUVIAN SYRUP sends its renovating influence to the innermost recesses of the system, and has relieved in our community many cases of supposed incurable disease.

Sold by dealers generally. Sold in Janesville by Fennell & Svenson. mar dew1w

**Mothers! Mothers! Mothers!**  
Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle.

**COMMERCIAL.**  
JANESVILLE MARKET.

REPORTED FOR THE GAZETTE BY BUMP & GRAY GRAIN AND PRODUCE DEALERS.

**JANESVILLE, March 3**  
Flour—Winter, \$1.75 per sack; Minnesota, \$1.65; Wisconsin, \$1.60. Patent \$2.00  
Erga Flour—\$2.25 per 100 lbs.  
Buckwheat Flour—75c per sack  
Wheat—Winter, 1.05@1.13; good to best milling spring 1.05@1.12; shipping grades 90@1.05  
Wheat Bran—70c per 100; \$1.00 per ton  
Meal—coarse, 50c per 100; bolted 50c per sack  
FEED—30c per 100 lbs  
Hempseed—30¢ per 100 lbs. Ton \$12  
Rye—in demand at 72¢/73¢  
Barley—good to fair samples 50@55c; low grades 35@45c  
Corn—shelled per 60 lbs, 33¢/35c; new ear or 75 lbs 33¢/35c  
Oats—White 30¢/31c; mixed 29¢/30c  
Timothy Seed—in demand at \$2.20@2.50 per 45 pounds  
Clover Seed—good demand at \$3.75@4.25 per bushel  
Potatoes—Peach Blows 35¢/40c; other varieties 20¢/30c  
Butter—scarce at 22¢/23c  
Beans—dull at 75¢/85c per bushel.  
Hops—good supply at 10¢/11c fresh.  
Hides—Green, 6¢/7c; calf 9¢/10c; Dry, 12¢/11¢  
Wool—Ranges at 40¢/45c; 1/4 off for unmerchantable.

**CHICAGO MARKET.**  
CHICAGO, March 4  
WHEAT—No 2 spring wheat Cash, 1 21/4c; No 3 spring wheat cash 1 15/8c  
Corn—No 2 cash, 55¢  
BARLEY—Extra No 1 cash, 65¢ cents.  
POPK—cash new, \$1.75  
LARD—cash \$7.13 1/4  
LIVE HOGS—3 40¢/45¢ according to grade.  
BUTTER—32¢/37 1/2¢ 30¢/35c 16¢/20c, according to quality  
CHEESE—9¢/15, according to quality.  
EGGS—Fresh @11 1/2c  
HAY—Timothy No 1, at \$13 30¢/13 50¢ ton; No 2 at 11 10¢/12 10¢  
HONEY—30¢/35c  
SWEET—Good to new choice comb in boxes a 16¢/18 cents.  
SHEEPS—Clover at \$4.20 @4.50 per bu; Timothy at \$4.70@5.00; Flax at 1 65¢  
TALLOW—6¢/6 1/2c No 1  
WHISKY—17  
WOOL—Tub-washed, poor conditioned and common coarse to choice medium, 52¢/57c; unwashed, fine, 30¢/31c; do, coarse to medium, 33¢/35c; fleece washed, according to grade and condition, 30¢/33c. Dirty, heavy and damaged lots sell at a discount of 30¢/50c per lb.

**MILWAUKEE GRAIN MARKET.**  
MILWAUKEE, March 4  
Flour—neglected and nominal  
Wheat—opened dull; advanced 1/2c and closed strong; No 1 Milwaukee hard \$1.95; No 1 Milwaukee \$1.90; No 2 do \$1.85; March \$1.90; April \$1.91; May \$1.96; No 3 \$1.85; No 4 \$1.80; rejected 90c  
OATS—No 2 37c  
OATS—No 3 34c  
RYE—No 1 75c  
BARLEY—No 2 spring 61 1/2¢  
POPK—new cash new, \$1.11 50  
LARD—prime steam \$7.10

**NEW YORK REMOVAL MARKET.**  
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